

REMARKS

The original application was filed in Japanese and applicants submit herewith a substitute specification including claims, abstract and drawings, to support the verified translation and to properly place the application in U.S. format.

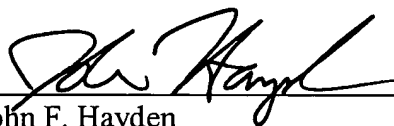
Claims 1-50 are pending in the application, with claims 1-4, 7, 17, 27, 37, 47 and 49 being independent. The specification has been amended to properly identify the drawings and to correct minor informalities. No new matter is introduced. Applicant asks that the application be examined in view of the amendments made herein.

A check in the amount of \$2592 for the filing fee (\$770), the additional claims fee (\$1142), the surcharge fees (\$260) and the two-month extension of time fee (\$420) is enclosed. Please apply any other charges or credits to deposit account 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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Amendments to the Drawings:

Please substitute the attached drawings (Figs. 1-79) in English for the drawings submitted with the application.